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Everything.

You'd call his room a pleasant place, Satin and rosewood, lights and lace, And fruits and vines were there. 'Ah, well, And yet the rich man rang his bell, When, lo! he saw a fairy flit From outside dusk to newer it.

Her flower-like eyes, so faint and blue, Looked at him through her veil of dew, Though's every gracious thing he had, His face was ruffled, tired, and sad.

"Play, sir," she whispered, "old you sing?" He said, "Yes; I want—everything!" The fairy laughed, and walked away. Raged every at his play, A boy, who had the grass, the dew, Birds, bees, the sun, the stars, the sky, She met. "What do you want?" sighed she. "Oh! I have everything," said he.

A Curious Customer.

One afternoon recently, shortly after the arrival of the train, a man entered a hotel in this city and asked the clerk, who stood busying himself with a patent blotter, the terms upon which he could engage board.

"Owing to the location of your room, sir, Big demand for our rooms. Feed well."

"I don't care so much about the eatin' part," replied the man. "I'm forty or fifty years old, and have been eating anything to me. Well, show me a respectable room—how much you charge?"

"Just yourself, sir?"

"Well, in a manner."

"Twenty-five dollars per month, in case you are alone."

"You see, it's this way: My wife will be with me, but as times are pretty tight, I concluded to arrange it in this way: I'll take breakfast, my wife will take dinner, and we'll throw up—wet or dry—for supper. By that means we can both get board for one price. I reckon I'm a little the best manager you ever seed."

"Fifty dollars for the two."

"I don't understand that sort of 'rithmetic. Both together we'd only eat the meals allowed for one person. It don't hurt a bed any more for two people to sleep on it than for one. I've got a bed out in the country that was presented to my wife when we got married, an' I'll be dinged if it ain't just about as good as new. It's one of those old-fashioned beds, with high, yellow posts with knobs on the tops as big as pumpkins. I'll furnish the room with this bed and one chair. My wife can set on the floor. I've lived in the country all my life, and havin' made a little money last year, I concluded to come to town and splurge a little. That's a woman down the country that has all the time been buckin' agin my wife, an' to get away with her we have concluded to board at a hotel."

"Fifty dollars per month is our lowest rate."

"How much by the year? I am goin' into this business right."

"Six hundred dollars."

"This is a wholesale business with me. How much for ten years?"

"Six thousand dollars."

"All right. Mark me down for a snack right now, and check it off for twenty years."

"See that card," said the clerk, pointing to the hotel maxim of persons without baggage are required to pay in advance.

"Oh, I've got the baggage," and the man lifted a carpetbag.

"That won't go."

"Won't you take this as security?"

"No, get out of here."

"But I want to board here twenty years."

"Go on away."

"I'll leave your snide hotel, sir, but first let me show you." He lifted up his carpetbag, opened it and displayed its contents.

"You can stay, sir."

"No, I believe not. It takes too much money to put up in this hotel. Guess I'll go around and put up at a wagon yard."

"Ever since Cain gave Abel a clip with a club people have lost money by not observing the laws of politeness.—Little Rock (Ark.) Gazette.

A New Orleans Scene.

An incident as absurd as it was disgraceful, says the New Orleans Times, occurred the other day in one of city railway cars. A gentleman and his wife, well known in fashionable circles, entered the car, which was empty with the exception of the writer. Their general appearance and attire conveyed the idea that they were people of not only wealth, but of culture and refinement. A few squares further on a young man, poorly and shabbily attired, wearing a threadbare alpaca coat, which shone with several Summer's wear, boarded the car. He was evidently a poor clerk returning from a day of weary, monotonous toil over his desk. Unfortunately for him, he sat directly opposite the ultra fashionable couple. The lady (?) cast a cold, scrutinizing glance at him—a look such as would freeze him to the backbone, and giving a scornful little cough, turned to her husband, and remarked, in an audible tone: "Gilbert, my dear, why do you not get a black alpaca coat? They are so

very stylish."

"I don't think a gentleman would wear one, my darling," the man replied, "and, beside, they are not at all becoming to me."

The butt of their cruel ridicule sat silent, but his flashing eye and crimsoned face betokened that he had heard the sneering remarks which were intended for him. And these miserable importations of so-called gentle people looked upon his mortification as a compliment to their coarse and unrefined, as well as cruel, jest.

Magnanimity.

Selfishness cannot flourish where magnanimity reigns. The man of large soul sees far beyond his own little orbit; his heart thrills in sympathy with joys and sorrows that touch not his own life. Like the astronomer, who sees our earth to be but a speck in the great humanity that lives and throbs all around him. Instead of regarding himself, with his little interests, his large heart sees sympathy for others, and his hand tends to do them good. Generosity, however liberal, may be self-conscious, but the essence of magnanimity is to forget the claims of self in the yearning for others, to pass by the less in the search for the greater.

The fire-fly only shines when on the wing. So it is with the mind; when once we rest we darken.

The pebbles in our path weary us, and make us footsore more than the rocks, which only require a bold effort to surmount.

Go your way, and don't bother about your neighbors. A man never peeps through the key-hole without finding something to vex him.

When a man begins to think he is so great that moral laws are not made for him, he is probably going to the bad as fast as time can take him there.

Praise no man too liberally before his face, nor censure him too lavishly behind his back—the one savor of flattery, the other of malice, and both are reprehensible; the true way to advance another's virtue is to follow it; and the best means to cry down another's vice to decline it.

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Soldiers' Reunion.

The third annual reunion of the New Hampshire Veterans occurred August 31, and September 1 and 2, on the new grounds of the Association at Weirs, N. H. This was, undoubtedly, the most successful reunion yet held, both in the attendance and interest; and will long be remembered.

The grounds, which are controlled by the association, have undergone great and important changes; and with building and grading, present a beautiful appearance.

The camp was open throughout the entire week, but the reunion proper lasted only three days, beginning Tuesday, which day was spent mostly in organizing, and the reception of veterans.

Wednesday, the great day, was as clear and beautiful as one could wish; and from early morning people came pouring in from all parts, making a crowd such as has never been seen before on these grounds, and numbering upwards of twenty thousand souls, among whom were a large number of veterans.

At two o'clock, P. M., an extra train brought in Gen. Geo. B. McClellan, and was met at the depot, and was taken to the headquarters by the Third Regiment Band, of Concord.

He spoke to the dense throng with great spirit, and was followed by Gov. Head, Major Stevens and Ex-Governor Walter Harriman.

After the speaking Gen. McClellan was serenaded at Hotel Weirs by the Band, which played beautifully "Reeves' Flag March," which was founded on the "Star Spangled Banner."

In the evening there were the usual Band Concerts by the Bands from Concord, Claremont, Lisbon and Great Falls, after which was a campfire.

Gen. Benj. F. Butler was expected on Thursday, but was unable to be present. The day was a very interesting one, although, perhaps, not so much so as the day preceding. The principal feature was the dedication of the Lowell building. The remaining exercises were similar to those of the preceding days.

All in all, it is to be long remembered with pride by the veterans, who have now held a reunion which in magnitude and general interest, surpasses any previous efforts.

Notes.

Gen. McClellan is 57.

Hotel Weirs can furnish accommodations for 125 guests.

Much praise is deserving Col. M. A. Haynes for the success of the reunion.

Sixteen hundred and seventy-five veterans registered at the Secretary's office.

Mrs. McClellan, Miss May McClellan and Mr. M. G. McClellan accompanied the General.

Great difficulty was attending the management of the trains, but Genl. Manager Dodge was enough for the emergency.

Letters of regret were received from Generals Hancock, Terry, Banks, G. W. Getty, Garfield and others, expressing regrets of their inability to be present.

Three Veterans of the Mexican war were seen conversing with each other at the headquarters Thursday. They were General McClellan and Colonels George Bowers and T. J. Whipple.

Meredith Centre.

Mr. J. F. Smith's boarders have returned to the city.

The thrashers have arrived, and our farmers are consequently busy.

Mr. Marshall has started a portion of the machinery in his mill, and will soon have it all in operation.

Capt. Pierce's boarders are leaving; a few have gone to the mountains and the rest are to leave this week.

Mr. W. H. Pitman, of Concord, has presented our school with an excellent globe and a fine series of maps, which are said to be the best in the State for the purpose.

Ashland.

An addition to the new Hosiery Mill owned by Ambrose Scribner is now being built.

The Drum Corps gave a Promenade Concert Saturday Eve., last. Considering the very warm weather there was a good attendance.

The Lake Co. being unwilling for the water to be shut back, work on the new bridge progresses slower than it otherwise would. One of the new abutments has been completed. All will be glad when the bridge is finished, as its absence occasions our citizens much inconvenience.

The Village Schools commence Sept. 6th. There are four grades; the first or Primary is taught by Miss Clement of Plymouth, the Intermediate by Miss Ladd of Ashland, the first and second primary by Misses Fellows of Centre Harbor, and Hoyt of Meredith, respectively. We think our schools are equal to any around us.

Centre Harbor.

"Mud" is still at the Senter House. Several of our citizens attended the dance at Meredith, on Friday of last week, and report an enjoyable time.

Mr. McCrillis says the statement about the bear on his land in C. H., is too bare a statement for him to be responsible for.

Services at the church last Sunday were well attended, and of much interest. Mr. Moody is esteemed and more as the people become better acquainted.

The hop in Independence Hall, last day evening, was well attended, the evening was one of much interest and pleasure. Dustin & Coltrane furnished music for the occasion.

Fred B. Wilson, who has run a barber shop at the Senter House last season, is now here only three in the week, the remainder of time being at his establishment in the city.

Last week the weather was the favorite topic of conversation. At six o'clock P. M. Thursday, the mercury stood at 65 in the shade; Friday, at 64 and Saturday, 83. The heat was oppressive all Saturday night and Sunday morning.

The Senter House has enjoyed a highly prosperous season, which has only been saddened by the death of that most estimable lady, Mrs. Frances E. Field of Boston. Now that the days are growing shorter, and the atmosphere cooler, the visitors are returning to their city homes, filled with new zeal and strength for the cares of daily life. Among those who have left the past week, are the following gentlemen and their families: George Marcus, New York; Harrison Gardner, William Lincoln, Georgia.

John, Charles B. Pratt, and Governor Thomas Tabbot of California, Mass.

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To transient customers, three cents per pint, five cents per quart.

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Thursday, September 2, 1880.

CHURCHES.

Congregational.—Services at 11 A. M. and 5:30 P. M. Sundays. Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock. Rev. G. L. Baril, Pastor.

Episcopal.—Services at 11 A. M. and 5:30 P. M. Sundays. Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock. Rev. James Graham, Pastor.

Free Will Baptist.—Services at 11 A. M. and 5:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock. — Pastor.

SOCIETIES.

Chorona Lodge, No. 83, F. A. M. Meetings Wednesdays, on or before the full moon.—Aug. 18, Sept. 10, Oct. 12, Nov. 10, Dec. 12. Charles D. Melton, W. M., John S. Roberts, Sec.

Belknap Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F. Meetings every Monday evening, 7:30 o'clock. N. G. D. A. Ambrose, S. G. W.

Geo. S. Cram Post, G. A. R., No. 54. Meetings every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Capt. J. W. LANG, Jr., Commander.

Waukegan Lodge, No. 9, I. O. G. T. Meetings every Tuesday evening.

Blue Ribbon Club. Meetings every Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. James H. Pilatied, Pres't.

B. C. & M. R. R.

Trains leave Meredith Village as follows: Downward—3:45, 8:08 A. M., 1:30, 1:55, 6:25 P. M. Upward—6:58 A. M., 12:00, 12:20, 4:30, 11:00 P. M. J. A. Dodge, Gen'l Manager.

MERE DITH EXPRESS.

Leaves Meredith Village, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for Centre Harbor, at 7 P. M., connecting with Steamer "M. Washington." E. W. Co., Proprietor.

Meredith Centre Mail.

Leaves Meredith Centre each day (Sundays excepted), at 11 A. M. Returning, leave Meredith Village at 1 P. M. JOHN L. GLIDDEN.

Horace Sceggel is making repairs about his house.

Hosea Q. Chase is building an addition to his house.

Thomas Welch has painted and d. blind to his house.

J. S. Vittum has been making repairs about his buildings.

The Wameet Engine Co. has decided not to go to the beach.

Mr. Benjamin Young is erecting a residence near the Cemetery.

J. C. Vittum and family of Somerville, Mass. are in town on a visit.

D. F. Bean is drawing lumber to Centre Harbor for building purposes.

Meredith has more dressmakers than any other town of its size in this vicinity.

Station Agent Bedee sold about 700 tickets yesterday, to the Soldier's Reunion.

A young son of Joseph R. Mead is very sick, the result of going in swimming.

An iron shaving fifty feet long has been shown us; it was made at the machine shop.

Free Clough has put in his welcome face during reunion week. He is looking well and hearty.

The Wadleigh Plow Co. will soon issue circulars announcing new and important improvements in the "Granger."

Mr. F. B. Wilson has returned from the Senter House, where he has been filling the office of tonsorial artist; he will take charge of his old place of business in this Village the first of next week.

The village schools commenced last Monday with a good attendance.

With the addition of a new floor, ceiling, and paint, our depot presents a very attractive appearance.

Dustin, Colby and Vittum played at the Senter House dance at Centre Harbor, last Saturday evening.

J. H. Knowles will soon complete his barn, and will then have a very substantial and convenient set of buildings.

Sheriff Prescott is to leave us soon for parts unknown even to himself.

We wish him a pleasant and successful trip.

J. W. Beede & Co. announce in another column that they have just received a car-load of choice flour, which they are disposing of at bottom prices.

The various manufacturers manifested great kindness by shutting down their several mills in order to allow their help to attend the Veteran's Reunion.

The Democrats will hold a caucus at the Town Hall, on Saturday evening of next week, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of choosing delegates to the several conventions.

Our streets presented a desolate appearance yesterday; our people nearly all attending the Reunion at the Weirs. The village assumes its usual liveliness today.

The dance given by Dustin & Colby's Orchestra, last Friday evening, was an excellent success.

The orchestra consisted of seven pieces, being reinforced by James M. Dorr of Laconia, Mr. Lamprey of Lake Village and C. C. Whittier of this place. Mr. Whittier's part although new to him is deserving of praise for the excellent manner in which he rendered it.

The Mechanics' Band will give a Concert on the stand next Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, weather permitting. The following is the programme:

March,	"The O'Reagan's."	Webb,
Fantasia,	"The Fairies' Revels."	Goetz,
Concert Waltz,	"Lisette."	Keller,
Schottische,	"Bon Heut."	Probst,
Galop,	"Laughing Beauty."	Keller,
"Dancing in the Barn."		Claus,

C. H. Colby, Director.

Through the kindness of Mr. D. S. Chase, the clerk and obliging clerk of the Twist Drill Co., we were shown around the works of the same. The office is one of the finest in town, and the Co. have decorated the walls with several diplomas, among which is one from the Centennial Exposition, and another from Belgium, both of which they received for their Automatic Knife Grinders. In the workshop are several machines, which, judging from the work, are run by learned and skillful operatives. The advent of this enterprising firm in our midst, is one of which our people should all be proud.

DEATHS.

In Meredith, August 27, Mrs. John R. Titton, aged 50 years.

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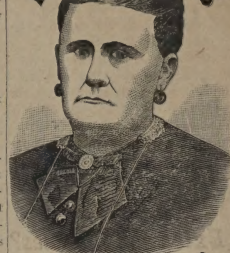
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